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Old Brindle's Fate. Mr. Young entered his log-cabin with an unmistakable glow of sat-isfaction on his face. Seating him-

self before the fire, he said: "Wife, you can't possibly guess what John Martin just told me." Mrs. Young looked up. Noticing her husband's animated coun-

tenance, she replied: "Perhaps hot; but judging from your looks, it must be good news." "Good news! That don't begin to express it, wife."
"What can it be then?" said his

wife, becoming interested.
"Well, John Martin said he would sell me a cow for sixteen dollars, and that I might pay for it

"Why, husband, is it possible?" "It is possible; and— "And what, husband?" "And I accepted the offer; I am going for the cow to-morrow."

"I declare, it's most too good to be true. But I have felt all day that something good was going to happen."
"Well, it has happened. It has

been two years since we had a cow, and it seems to me that some milk will taste the best of anything in "And I believe it will to me.

Won't it be a real blessing to the children?" "Yes, wife it will be that."

It was more than sixty years ago hat this conversation took place in the Ammonosuck Valley, in the town of Lisbon, N. H. Mr. Young had settled there two or three years before. He had a wife and several children, and with house and barn to build, and land to clear, and crops to care for like many others, he found all he could do to provide food and clothing for his family. But by diot of great sore Nipples. It is invaluable, economy and self-denial, they had Price, 50 Cents. Trial size, 25 Cents. managed to get along, with a prosect of a better future.

They had no cow, and no money to buy one. There was no luxury they coveted so much as a sapply of milk. Mr. Young had hesitated when John Martin proposed to sell him a cow for his work. Wages were only half a dollar a day. But he rembered the privations of the last two years, and decided as we already know.

There was gladness in the hearts of the young family that night. She (an heiress)-What made TEAS and COFFEES Already they felt rich. They were going to have a cow. How little it takes to make humble people

> The next day the cow came home, with a bell attached to her neck. She was a large, beautiful VEGETABLES. creature. The children christened her "Old Brindle," and the fondest anticipations of the family were realized. As the summer advanced, Mr. PROVISIONS.

Young steadly worked out the price of his purchase, and on one night in early autumn, he came home, and with a look of real satis-

for I have cut enough hay to keep At that time it was a common

practice to let the cows run in the the wood and get their living. It was turmed turning them out "to brouse." Mr. Young had been compelled to do this, having as yet no cleared and fenced pasture. Guided by the bell, he had generally found his cow at night without

But one evening soon after the cow was paid for, Mr. Young could not find her. He went round and round the clearing, searching and listening, but could hear nothing of the bell. When it became too dark to look longer, he went home, full of misgivings.

At that time bears were abundance. At that time bears were abundant in the forest. They often destroyed sheep and had been known to kill cattle, and Mr. Young feared Old Brindle had met

when he reached home without the cow every face became serious. His brother had come to stop with him that night, and they sat up late talking the matter over, and listening for the bell. After retiring, he and his wife were too full of anxiety to sleep. Suddenly full of anxiety to sleep. Suddenly Mr. Young exclaimed: "Hark! What's that?"

"I didn't hear anything," she "I thought I heard the cow-bell."

Tinkle! tinkle! tinkle! "That is the cow, certainly!" There was no doubt by that time; Old Brindle was coming, and they were thankful enough.

The path to the barn led by the corner of the house past a large pine stub nearly forty feet high. The sound of the bell grew more distinct every moment. The cow came out of the woods and crossed the road; then she went up the path towards the barn. Mr. Young path towards the barn. Mr. Young and his wife were listening as she passed the corner of the house. Suddenly there was a sound as of a heavy body falling, followed by one terrible, agonized bellow from the cow, mingled with the fierce grows of a heavy

Both Mr. Young and his wife FARMING LANDS was so excited he would have rushed out undressed had not his wife MONUMENTS & HEADSTONES

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that they approached close to him with the flaming firebrands before they could drive him away. Then it was easily seen what had occured. The bear had set a trap for "This is a very busy world, and the cow, showing little less than there are a good many people in it human intelligence. He had who, having no time to produce

to the ground. Old Brindle was dead! There were sorrowful faces in the family sides several volumes of fiction. for weeks after that. It was a great calamity to them, and many months clapsed before they were able to buy another cow to supply the place of Old Brindle.

Five Lives for a Bag of Gold.

na has been the favorite resort of lawyer who chooses to have a literbandits and highwaymen. Both Mexicans and Americans indulged in the practice, and it is said that many a snug fortune now belong-ing to respected citizens was found-man of ability, with whom he is from the mines to the railroad and mostly on topics which have some failed to reach its destination. reference to law. Years afterward the bones of its custodian would be found bleaching in the sand, but they could tell no tales and the robbers went unknown, unless the sudden rise of some struggling citizen from pov- or even treble what the newspaper erty to affluence directed suspicion, in which case the matter was allowed to drop.

man could sell them for as his own. The lawyer also produces about four short stories for magazines lowed to drop.

One of the latest and boldest of these robberies occured in 1888, a little way out from Phoenix, and its result has deterred the Mexicans for them, while the lawyer signs its result has deterred the Mexicans his name and is content with the its result has deterred the Mexicans from any attempt at its repetition. The Vulture mine, the property of Senator Tabor, was at that time worked by an English syndicate, with a man named Gribble as superintendent. In taking away the bullion an armed guard of five to ten men usually accompanied it, riding far enough ahead and behind to prevent all being killed by a single fire from ambush. One morning in August of 1888, Gribble, with one companion in a buggy, started to the Phoenix with forty-two pounds of gold bullion. His guard consisted of two men on horseback, who were supposed to ride one 200 yards in advance and the other 200 yards to the rear, but it afterwards developed that they were riding together. When the it afterwards developed that they were riding together. When the interviewed, and the ideas they express are neatly put together by were riding together. When the cavalcade reached a lonely place in the desert near Negro Wells, the road made an abrupt turn to the right, and directly facing the turn, about ten rods distant, was a clump Every Variety, about ten rods distant, was a clump of grease-wood. From behind their own sermons. They can buy these bushes a deadly fire was poured in on them by three Mexicans. They had selected their targets, and Gribble and two others were killed at the first fire. The other man who was mounted on a thoroughbred horse, attempted to make his escape, but the bullets from the Winchesters overtook him and he fell dead about 300 yards distant. One of the Mexicans took his horse, and ington Star. the Mexicans took his horse, and strapping the bullion before him on the saddle, the three made across

news into Phoenix. By daylight next morning a posse of white men with Indian trailers were on the his fee in a space of time varying Every Day. ground and began the pursuit. from two to five minutes.

One day an army man was shown upon the robbers while they were into the consulting room, and trying to cut the piece of bullion underwent what might be called to divide it, they evidently wishing to separate. They showed fight and the whites returned to Vulture hands with the doctor, and said: and the whites returned to Vulture for re-enforcements, and going back as rapidly as possible, found that the robbers had separated, and two of the trails were lost in the mail pass of the Eagle Tail Mountains. Pressing on the trail of the other they reached the Gila on the evening of the next day. Here they found the fugative's horse mired in the quicksand, with a leg broken, his rider having taken his blankets and the bullion, which he still had in his possession, and startstill had in his possession, and started down the river on foot. He had ridden the horse more than 100 miles without food or water, and in trying to rush him across the river, which was swollen, he had become mired, and in a frantic effort to free himself had broken his leg. The pursuers shot him and followed the bank of the river to a ferry a few miles below, where Gov. Powers had some Mexicans at work on a boat. Riding up to the fence they had some Mexicans at work on a boat. Riding up to the fence they asked him if he had seen such a man describing the one they wanted. Before Powers could reply, the Mexican, who was sitting on his blankets in the shade of the house and within hearing of the conversation, started to run up the hill and toward the brush. The whites were began shooting and be fell men began shooting and he fell dead. He had come to the house a few hours before, and had obtained

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A Busy Doctor. Dr. Liddell's morning levees were Late in the day the stage from crowded beyond description. It was Prescott came by and the driver, his pride and boast that he could discovering the bodies, brought the feel his patient's pulse, look at his

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dead. He had come to the house a few hours before, and had obtained permission to rest there until they had repaired the boat so they could put him across the river. In his roll of blankets they found the piece of bullion with Gribble's blood dried upon it. The thieves had tried to cut it in two, but had failed, and they had separated, the leader doubtless having given the other two the slip. The dead robber was found to be Ynocinte Valenzula, a trusted Mexican, employed at the mine. The other two robbers were never discovered, nor were A Surgical Operation.